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**Subject:** question for hq

Dore and Eric and Paul as we discussed yesterday, here is the question we would welcome hq guidance on.

In 2004, Taconic Plastics of Petersburg, New York tested groundwater near their facility for the presence of PFOA. Sampling results by the company found samples as high as 152,000 ppt, far above the 400 ppt EPA recommended threshold. The company acted to install carbon filtration at their own facility and at a nearby home, owned by the company. However, the company did not inform other nearby homeowners of the elevated pfoa levels and therefore the neighbors continued drinking contaminated water until a few months ago when bottled water was offered. Same situation with the public water supply.

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